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As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

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INVENTORSHIP IDENTIFICATION

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the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint
i) inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent
is sought on the invention entitled:

TITLE OF INVENTION

"Process and equipment for hot moulding of articles made of thermoplastic material

SPECIFICATION IDENTIFICATION

The specification of which:

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[X.]	filed herewith;
[]	was filed on, under Serial No, executed on even date
	herewith; or
[]	Express Mail No (Serial No. not yet known)
	and was amended on (if applicable)
[]	was described and claimed in PCT International Application No.
	filed on and as amended under PCT Article 19 on

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I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose all information I know to be material to patentability in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, '1.56, and which is material to the examination of this application; namely, information where there is a substantial likelihood that a reasonable Examiner would consider it important in deciding whether to allow the application to issue as a patent, and

 In compliance with this duty there is attached an Information Disclosure Statement in accordance with 37 CFR '1.98.

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I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, §119, of any provisional or
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[]	No such applications have been filed.
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A. Prior foreign/PCT application(s) filed within 12 mos. (6 mos. for design) prior to this application, and any priority claims under 35 U.S.C. §119

Country/PCT	Application No	Date Filed	Priority Claimed
Italy	TO2000A000443	<u>12 May 2000</u>	[X] Yes [] No [] Yes [] No [] Yes [] No

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Application No:

Filing date:

C. U.S. Provisional Application filed within 12 months prior to this application

Serial No.

Filing Date

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